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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(MBHB Case No. 00-432-A)

PATENT

In re Application of:)
Guolin Cai)
Serial No.: 09/892,024) Group Art Unit: 1625
Filed: June 26, 2001) Examiner: B. M. Robinson
For: Aryl Fused Substituted)
4-oxy-pyridines)

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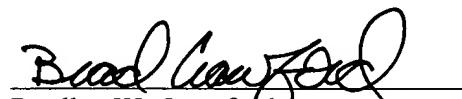
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In regard to the above identified application:

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4-oxy-Pyridines)

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 25, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
Arlington, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed August 25, 2003, the Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the patent application identified above in view of the following amendments and remarks.

The Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.